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Metro United Way Issues Request for Proposals in Bullitt County

RFP open to all nonprofits serving Bullitt County

Bullitt County, KY (January 24, 2018) – Metro United Way has issued a request for proposals to provide funding to nonprofit agencies in Bullitt County. This opportunity is open to all nonprofit organizations serving Bullitt County, with a priority on those that align with Metro United Way’s focus on education, financial stability and healthy lives.

“We are pleased to announce that there are available Metro United Way dollars in Bullitt County again this year, and all of the money raised in Bullitt County will be staying right here in our community,” said Nicole Durbin, the Chair of the Metro United Way Bullitt County Advisory Council. “We know these funds will help improve lives and make a positive difference for the future of our community.”

“At Metro United Way, we’re proud of our long history of uniting individuals and organizations to address the needs of our community,” said Metro United Way President and CEO Theresa Reno-Weber. “On the heels of our 100th Anniversary and success in raising \$1 Billion across our seven counties over those 100 years, we are committed to supporting the most effective solutions to break the cycle of poverty that holds us back from reaching our full potential as a community.”

Metro United Way’s Bullitt County Advisory Council will consider proposals that support one of the following Metro United Way community aspirations to help change the odds for kids and families to succeed in school and life:

- **Education:** Every child enters kindergarten ready to succeed and all students graduate high school on time, college and career ready.
- **Financial Stability:** Individuals and families have the financial resources to maintain family stability.
- **Health:** Individuals and families have the health resources they and their loved ones need to live a healthy life.
- **Basic Needs:** Individuals and families have their most basic needs of food, shelter and safety met

The applications will be reviewed and the funding recommendations with final decisions will be communicated by Monday, June 4, 2018.

Applying organizations must articulate the client need, how they will achieve impact through the strategies employed, and what measurements will be used to track results in one of the four community aspirations listed above. Agencies must be financially healthy, registered as a nonprofit agency and have no history of fraud, negligence or fiduciary irresponsibility. Requests may be made for up to \$15,000.

For more information about the RFP, please contact Erica Price at Erica.Price@metrounitedway.org. To complete an online application, please contact Cindy Lehnert at Cindy.Lehnert@metrounitedway.org. Applications are due to Metro United Way by Thursday, March 1, 2018.

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ABOUT METRO UNITED WAY

For more than 100 years, Metro United Way has been dedicated to improving lives in our community and that will never change. We are committed to reach our vision that everyone achieves their full potential, and we know that the ultimate measure of our success is in the ways we impact the quality of life for all of us. A community of connected people, all people, united and working together for the benefit of all is at the heart of what Metro United Way represents. We bring together the people and organizations who have the passion, expertise and resources needed to accomplish our goals and get things done. Together, we fight for the education, financial stability and health of every person in Bullitt, Jefferson, Oldham and Shelby counties in Kentucky and Clark, Floyd and Harrison counties in Indiana.

For more information, please visit www.metrounitedway.org or call 502-583-2821. We invite you to be a part of changing generations; you can give, advocate and volunteer. United We Fight! United We Stand!

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